

Alexandria Gazette.

VOL. LXXXVIII

ALEXANDRIA VA., WEDNESDAY EVENING DECEMBER 21, 1887.

NO. 293.

MEDICINAL.

DR. BULL'S
COUGH
SYRUP

Cures Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, Croup, Asthma, Whooping Cough, Influenza, Sore Throat, and all other ailments of the Throat and Lungs. It is the only medicine that cures the Cough, and is sold only in the original bottle, with the Bull's Head on the label. Beware of cheap imitations.

Small (3 oz.) bottles, 25 cts.; large (8 oz.) bottles, 50 cts. For sale by all druggists.

DR. VON SENDEN'S

FENNEL HONEY
EXTRACT

The Great German Family Remedy
For the Rapid Cure of
Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Sore Throat, Influenza, Croup, Whooping Cough, Difficulty of Breathing, Pains and Tightness of the Chest, Dryness or Tickling in the Throat, &c.
Absolutely free from substances injurious to health. Small (3 oz.) bottles, 25 cts.; large (8 oz.) bottles, 50 cts. For sale by all druggists.

BUILDING MATERIAL, &c.

PERRY, SMOOT & CO.
Steam Flooring & Planing Mill

Manufacturers of
DOOR AND WINDOW FRAMES, MOLDINGS, &c.

Dealers in
LUMBER, SHINGLES, LATHS, NAILS, LIME, CALCINED PLASTER AND CEMENT.

NO. 25 NORTH UNION ST.
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA

ESTABLISHED 1822.

JOSIAH H. D. SMOOT,

DEALER IN

Lumber, Shingles, Laths,

NAILS, LIME, CEMENT, CALCINED PLASTER, &c., &c., &c.

MANUFACTURERS OF
FLOORING, DOORS, SASH, BLINDS, FRAMES, MOLDINGS, MANTELS, BRACKETS, AND ALL KINDS OF WOOD WORK.

Office and yard No. 21 North Union St. Factory No. 13 and 15 North Lee St., Alexandria, Va.

No charge for delivery in city. jan28

John T. Creighton & Son,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN

HARDWARE AND CUTLERY.

No. 88 KING, CORNER OF ROYAL STREET

Have on hand a very large and well assorted stock of goods in their line.

Country merchants are invited to call and examine before purchasing.

Satisfaction guaranteed. Call and see. [ap12]

J. M. F. CARLIN & SONS,

NO. 63 KING STREET
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in
HARDWARE AND CUTLERY.

Buildings Hardware, Locks, Hinges, Screws, Nails, Bolts, Latches, &c., Saddlery, Hardware, Drills, Bits, Buckles, Rings, Hammers, &c., &c., &c.

Wheelwrights' Hardware, Axes, Bins, Hubs, Spokes, Sawed Fellows, Tire Iron, &c., Pocket Table, Carving, and Butcher Knives, &c., Guns, Pistols, &c. A full and complete stock of first-class goods in store and sold at lowest cash prices. [ap15]

CARRIAGES.

We have on hand an assortment of
New and Second-hand Carriages,
Buggies and Spring Wagons,
WHICH WE OFFER AT BOTTOM PRICES.

Come and see before purchasing elsewhere.
REPAIRING done promptly and at lowest rates.

SUMMERS & BRO.,

oct18th PITT STREET.

SUNNYSIDE,

No. 2216 Charles-street Avenue,
BALTIMORE, MD.

A PRIVATE HOME for the treatment of DIS-
EASES OF WOMEN. Located in one of the
most desirable parts of the city. Private rooms
and trained nurses. Address for terms of board,
&c. J. H. CARROLL, M.D.

Cor. Charles and Centre sts., Baltimore, Md.
nov5 6m

LIVERPOOL AND LONDON AND GLOBE
INSURANCE COMPANY.

Statement U. S. Branch, June 30, 1885.

Assets.....\$5,918,563 13

Liabilities.....3,303,582 17

Surplus.....\$2,614,970 96

Total losses paid in the U. S.\$3,676,759 55

For policies in this excellent company apply to
PHILIP B. HOOD, Agent.

dec15 No. 2 Prince street.

FLOUR!

PILLSBERRY'S BEST MINNESOTA PATENT.

JONES'S HUNGARIAN

BAKER'S CRYSTAL

TENNEY'S OUR NEW SOUTH

CHOICE FAMILY.

The above are the finest brands of Flour made
anywhere. **GEO. MCBURNEY.**

HENRIKEN'S VIRGINIA WINES.

Norton's Seedling Claret.

Rose of Virginia

Extra Virginia

Virginia

Mill Park Sauterne

All these Wines are absolutely pure. For sale by
my21 **GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.**

THOMAS'S LIQUID BLUE.

IN PAPER BOTTLES.

entirely free from acids, and guaranteed pure. The
greatest quantity for the least money of any pure
dye in the market. Don't fail to try it.

mb5 **GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.**

CHOIPPING AXES AND AXE HANDLES.

on hand and for sale at a small advance at 328
King, corner of Royal, by
dec2 **J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.**

SARATOGA POTATO CHIPS, pound and half
pound boxes, just arrived at
oct18 **McBURNES.**

Alexandria Gazette.

PUBLISHED DAILY AND TRI-WEEKLY BY
EDGAR SNOWDEN.

At the Gazette Building, 310 and 312 Prince st

DAILY. TRI-WEEKLY.

One year.....\$6 00 One year.....\$4 00

Six months.....3 00 Six months.....2 00

One month.....50 Three months.....1 00

Contract advertisers will not be allowed to exceed their
space, unless the excess is paid for at transient rates
and under no circumstances will they be allowed to
advertise other than their legitimate business in the
space contracted for.

All transient advertisements must be paid for in ad-
vance.

Resolutions in memoriam, of thanks, tributes of respect,
resolutions adopted by societies or persons, unless of
public concern, will only be printed in this paper as
advertisements.

Marriage and death notices must be paid for in ad-
vance.

Persons leaving the city can have the Gazette mailed to
them, postpaid, for fifty cents a month, and the
address changed as often as desired.

The Gazette office is connected with the Telephone Ex-
change. Advertisements, orders for the paper, news or
any information or business can be sent by Tele-
phone.

All communications should be addressed to "Gazette,"
Alexandria, Va.

[Entered at the Postoffice at Alexandria, Virginia, as
second-class matter.]

Tariff Iniquity.

"Give us free raw material and within
three months the machinery in every idle
mill in New England will be set buzzing."

The speaker was Mr. Charles M. Beach,
a dignified, gray haired business man, of Hart
ford, Conn.

For half a century the firm of Beach &
Co., have held a commanding position
among the business men of New England.

As merchants they have imported whatever
commodities were in demand from foreign
countries. They have kept thoroughly
posted on all the markets of the world. All
the vexations of customs restrictions and
prohibitory tariffs are as familiar to them as
to the oldest attaché in the Treasury De-
partment. As manufacturers of woolen
goods they have become acquainted with all
the disadvantages which the law making
branch of the government has pacted against
our home industries.

"During our early days we thought, as
many other manufacturers did, that protec-
tion was a good thing. We thought it the
only thing to enable us to make any money.

We have lived to see our mistake very
clearly. And," said Mr. Beach, raising his
voice, "we now believe that the tariff,
taken as a whole, as it now works, is dead
against American interest, and especially
against the farming industry.

"As to the manufacture of woolen goods,
let me say this: We have a big mill with
eighteen sets of machinery in it for making
all kinds of woolen stuffs. It cost, let us
say, \$250,000. It is now closed down be-
cause we can't compete with foreigners ex-
cept at great loss—a loss of \$100,000 a
year. Well, if the present condition of
affairs continues we shall be glad to tear all
the machinery out of it and sell it for one-
third of its cost and then put the building
to other uses. No, sir; this tariff business
is anything but an unmitigated blessing to
our people. But ours is not an isolated
case. Only the other day the Bennington
Mills, which cost \$800,000, were sold for
about \$50,000—yes, the whole thing, build-
ings, machinery, everything, for one sixth
of their original price."

Here the senior partner, Mr. Geo. Beach,
said: "If the people of the United States
knew what we know right here in this office
of the workings of the wool tariff, I would
have sent it to Hades long ago. I asked
an English manufacturing agent who was
here the other day what he would do if
the present duty were taken off wool and
he promptly replied: 'I'll bring all my ma-
chinery over here.' Another manufacturer,
from Bradford, England, said: 'We want
you to leave the tariff alone. It suits us ex-
actly. In fact if we had had the making of
the law we couldn't have done so well for
ourselves as you have done for us.'"

"Before you proceed with your talk with
my brother, permit me to say that, as a
merchant acquainted with all markets (as he
has to be in order to keep up with the
times), I consider this wool trade as the
most oppressed and depressed of any busi-
ness in existence. Wool growers seem to
be as much puzzled over it as the mass of
the public. The statistics show that there
are 7,000,000 farmers. Of these 1,000,000
are said to be woolgrowers. These latter pro-
duce 44,000,000 sheep. Presuming the con-
sumption figures are correct, this gives each
farmer forty four sheep. Supposing that the
average crop is 220 pounds from each flock,
we find the actual benefit to the Ohio farmer
from the protective tariff of ten cents a
pound is \$2.20. Well, the farmer goes to
town and buys a suit for himself, and his
son also, we will say, and he has to pay be-
tween sixty and seventy per cent. more for
the cloth than he would if he hadn't been
protected. This is the actual working of
the law in every day experience. The
farmer sells his products on a free trade,
competitive basis, and buys at high rates
under our remarkable system.

"Another illustration. A brushmaker told
me the other day that in order to protect
home industries a prohibitory rate was made
on imported hog bristles. The laughable
feature of this is that our hog bristles are
not long enough or strong enough to make
brushes—in fact, they are useless for the
purpose. The government, however, would
shut out the only available material and
leave us the home production, which is
worthless."

"One more point. The other day we re-
ceived an order for cotton goods for the
English market through a London house.
Why were we able to execute such an order
at a profit to all concerned? Because we
can command the raw material at or about
the same rate as Englishmen do, and with
our superior skilled labor and improved
machinery make a better article than they
can. Draw your own conclusions, then,
what we can do in other branches if we se-
cure free material."—New York Herald.

How often is the light of the household
clouded by signs of melancholy or irritabil-
ity on the part of the ladies. Yet they are
not to be blamed, for they are the result
of ailments peculiar to that sex, which men
know not of. But the cause may be re-
moved and joy restored by the use of Dr.
Pierce's "Favorite Prescription," which, as
a tonic and nerve for debilitated women, is
certain, safe and pleasant. It is beyond all
compare the great healer of women.

COW DRINK!

For gargle, raw bound, bloating and fevers,
itk fever and abortion preventive, just received
and for sale by
nov25 **W. T. CREIGHTON & CO.**

HOLIDAY GOODS.

HOLIDAY TRADE.

Lager Raisins,
Valencia Raisins,
New Currants,
Mitted Nuts,
Prime Citron,
Coke's Gelatine,
Nelson's Gelatine,
Chalmers Gelatine,
Dried Sugar Corn,
Italian Macaroni,
Campbell's Mince Meat,
Campbell's Fruit Butter,
Fancy New Orleans Molasses,
Sweet Cider,
Italian and American Sardines,
Cooking Brandy,
French Brandy,
Cooking Wine and very old Sherry,
Scotch Whiskey and Pure Old Rye,
Jamaica and St. Croix Rum,
Furset New England Rum,
Piper Heidsieck Champagne,
in pils and quarts,
Ackron Oat Meal,
Buckwheat, Olive Oil,
Mixed Pickles and
Canned Goods,
all at lowest prices.

dec10 **W. A. JOHNSON & CO.,**
Cor. Royal and Cameron sts.

A. C. HARMON & CO.

A FULL LINE OF

Christmas Goods.

50 boxes Raisins,
Imperial Cabinet,
Valencia and Sultanas,
New Currants,
Prunes,
Choice Mince Meat,
Peach and Pineapple Preserves in 2 and 4-lb
buckets.

JELLIES.

Quince, Currant, Grape, Apple and Strawberry by
the pound.

A full line of FRESH SPICES, whole and
ground, all at lowest prices. dec9 1m

Holiday Times.

HENRY BRENGLE, 531 KING ST.,

Is now ready for the fall and winter with
THANKSGIVING, CHRISTMAS AND NEW
YEAR'S SEASONS.

He intends to keep OYSTERS for his patrons
and supply families with the pick of Chesapeake
b y.

Creams of all flavors, Black, Fruit, Pound, Jelly
and Fancy, Ornamental and Plain Cakes, are sold
cheaper than they can be manufactured at home.
Also Cream Puffs, Tarts and Pastry, Candies and
Taffy of all kinds. PIE-A SPECIALTY. Fruits,
Nuts, Confectioneries, Caramels and Sugared
Fruits. He caters for families, fairs, balls and
entertainments and furnishes social parties.

nov12 1f

FOR SALE AND RENT.

FOR EXCHANGE.

I will exchange my FAIRVIEW FARM, situated
1 1/4 miles from Alexandria, Va., 150 acres,
well improved, for a GRAZING FARM of 500
acres, more or less, in either of the counties of
London or Essex, paying the difference in
cash, or assume an incumbrance.

nov19 1m **E. S. WINDSOR, Alexandria, Va.**

PROFESSIONAL.

ESTABLISHED 1853

JULIUS DIENELT, DENTIST.

ARTIFICIAL TEETH WITHOUT PLATES AND
THE INSERTION OF GOLD CROWNS
A SPECIALTY.

Office and Residence, 524 Queen street
(One door below St. Asaph),
Alexandria, Virginia.

nov7 1f

JAMES R. CATON,

ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW,

Office, No. 4 south Fairfax street.

Practices in Alexandria city and county and
adjoining counties and in the federal courts.

oct8 3m

The NEW YORK Sun.

FOR

1888.

The year 1888 promises to be a year of splendid
political developments, one and all redounding to
the glory and triumph of a

UNITED DEMOCRACY.

In the front line will be found

THE SUN.

fresh from its magnificent victory over the com-
bined foes of Democracy in its own State, true to
its convictions, truthful before all else, and fear-
less in the cause of truth and right.

THE SUN has six, eight, twelve and sixteen
pages, as occasion requires, and is ahead of all
competition in everything that makes a news-
paper.

Daily, \$6 00
Daily and Sunday, 7 50
Sunday (16 and 20 pages), 1 50
Weekly, 1 00

dec20 Address THE SUN, New York.

DR. HORTON'S MALARIA ANTIDOTE.

THE ONLY INFALLIBLE REMEDY FOR

MALARIA AND FEVER AND AGUE.

It never fails to effect a speedy and permanent
cure. For sale by

oct13 **WARFIELD & HALL.**

THE ENTERPRISE MEAT CHOPPER is the
best; does not grind the meat, like other
cutters, but CHOPS IT. It is useful for many
purposes. ALL THE YEAR ROUND in preparing
chicken salad, beef tea, mince meat, hash, &c.
For sale by

nov3 **JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS,**
Alexandria, Va.

GUNS, PISTOLS, SHELLS, PRIMERS, &c.,
&c., at 328 King, corner of Royal street. We
have still on hand a good assortment of Guns,
Pistols, &c., of various quality, which we are of-
fering at low prices. Examine "DAVIS B. L.
GUNS," equal to the best at much lower prices.
oct27 **J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.**

BREECH AND MUZZLE-LOADING SHOT
GUNS, the largest and best assortment we
have ever had and at lower prices; also Paper
Shells of all grades, Wads, Caps, Belts and Car-
tridges. It will pay purchasers to call and see us.

nov14 **JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS,**
Alexandria, Va.

CHOICE FLOUR.

BAKER'S CRYSTAL,

TENNEY'S NEW SOUTH,

FAMILY AND BOLLER EXTRA,

For sale by
ap23 **J. C. MILBURN.**

SMOKED BLOATERS,

CLOVER LEAF BONELESS CODFISH and
PRIME FAT MACKEREL just received by
nov9 **A. C. HARMON & CO.**

NEW BUCKWHEAT FLOUR received to-day
and for sale low by
oct19 **J. G. MILBURN.**

HOLIDAY GOODS.

HOLIDAY GOODS.

NEW, USEFUL AND ORNAMENTAL, AT

JOHN P. CLARKE'S,

NO. 612 KING STREET.

FINE OIL PAINTINGS, A LARGE COLLECTION OF FINE ENGRAVINGS,
NEW AND BEAUTIFUL STYLES OF FRAMES, BRONZE AND PLUSH MIRRORS,
NEW STYLES OF EASELS AND CABINETS, TERRA COTTA STATUARY,
CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S CARDS. dec19 2w

FOR

HOLIDAY GOODS! HOLIDAY GOODS!

Go to 424 King street

(Bendheim's old stand).

ENDLESS VARIETY OF TOYS

SILK MUFFLERS, SILK UMBRELLAS, SILK AND LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS, FINE NECK-
WEAR FOR GENTLEMEN, COLLARS AND CUFFS, KID AND FUR-TOP
GLOVES FOR LADIES AND GENTLEMEN.

John R. Chapman, Agent,

nov30 1jan1 **424 King street, Bendheim's old stand.**

IF YOU WANT TO BUY A HOLIDAY PRESENT

GO TO—

HENRY WILDT'S,

NO. 106 NORTH ROYAL STREET. ALEXANDRIA, VA.

WHERE YOU WILL FIND A FINE SELECTION OF

Watches, Jewelry, Solid Silverware, Silver-plated Ware, Clocks,
EYE GLASSES, SPECTACLES, &c.

And you will be sure to find something that will suit you. nov29

HOLIDAY GOODS.

A BEAUTIFUL LINE OF

Christmas Cards and Art Novelties

dec16 At JOHN D. H. LUNT'S.

BUY YOUR

Holiday Goods

From nobody until you have seen our indescrib-
able variety of

Beautiful Goods,

Suitable for man, woman or child.

NEVER BEFORE SO MUCH TO SELECT FROM.

Presents of all Kinds.

ALL PRICE GOODS TO SELECT FROM.

NOVELTIES! NOVELTIES!

Useful, Practical and Beautiful Presents.

Our entire store is ready for the year's Greatest
Holiday.

**IMMENSE PREPARATIONS HAVE BEEN
MADE.**

NO FANCY PRICES.

ALL ARE INVITED TO INSPECT.

NONE URGED TO BUY.

Goods laid away for you until wanted.

Everything on earth done to please our continual-
ly increasing trade.

ONE PRICE AS USUAL.

Until after the holidays our store will be open
until 9 p. m.

Lansburgh & Bro.